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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

Applicant wishes to make of record the following documents (clean copies and Form PTO-1449 are enclosed). These documents were cited in the International Search Report, dated October 15, 1999. The submission of this paper is not more than three months from the date of the Search Report (copy of cover letter enclosed).

U.S. Patent Documents

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Applicant requests that these documents be considered by the Examiner before issuance of the next action and made of record in this file. The Examiner is also asked to initial and return a copy of the enclosed PTO-1449 form to evidence such consideration.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed in accordance with the provisions under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b)(3). To the best of the undersigned's knowledge, before the mailing of a first Office Action on the merits. No fee is required.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge (or credit any overpayment) any fees which are due to Deposit Account No. 02-4467. A duplicate copy of this communication is enclosed.

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